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**BY ECF**

Hon. Taryn A. Merkl  
United States Magistrate Judge  
United States District Court  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

**Re: *Trooper 1 v. NYSP et al.*, 22-cv-893 (LDH) (TAM)**

Dear Judge Merkl:

We write on behalf of Governor Cuomo, and with the consent of all parties, to request a two-day extension of the Court's December 12, 2023 order directing that the parties file a joint letter by December 19, 2023 reporting back on the matters discussed at the December 12, 2023 conference. While the relevant parties have met and conferred, we need additional time to draft a joint letter to the Court outlining our respective positions.

Respectfully submitted,

*/s/ Theresa Trzaskoma*

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